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Lahore	Kandy	Jinja
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are opened for Approved Customers and interest is allowed at 2 per cent. per annum from Rs. 1,000 up to Rs. 1,00,000 but no interest is allowed when the sum secured does not amount to Rs. 5 half-yearly.
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RALPH KIDD.
Manager.

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Subscribed Capital ..... Yen 48,000,000
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Reserve Fund ..... Yen 22,100,000
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CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS are opened at 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances of Rs. 1,000 up to Rs. 1,00,000 provided that the amount of half-yearly interest is not less than Rs. 5.
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EVERY description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted.
N. IGARASHI,
Manager.
Post Box No. 207.
Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

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LIMITED.
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Subscribed Capital ..... Yen 30,000,000
Paid-up Capital ..... Yen 18,750,000
Reserve Fund ..... Yen 1,600,000
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BRANCHES AND AGENTS:

Bombay	Kyoto	San Francisco
Hakata	London	Shanghai
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CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received at rates to be ascertained on application.
Every description of BANKING AND EXCHANGE BUSINESS transacted.
J. SATO, Manager.
Church Gate Street, Bombay.
P. O. Box No. 389.

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Interest is allowed at the rate of 4 per cent. per annuam, on the minimum balance, up to but not exceeding Rs. 3,000 at the credit of an account between the 6th and the last business days of each calendar month.
Deposits may be made in the names of two or more persons and may be made payable to any one or more of them, or to the survivor or survivors.
Copies of the rules are obtainable on application at the Bank.

BANKING

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INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.
Capital £1,200,000
Reserve Fund £1,800,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders ... £1,200,000
HEAD OFFICE:
38, Bishopsgate, London, E.C.
AGENCIES AND BRANCHES:
INDIA, BURMA, STRAITS & CHINA & CEYLON, MALAY STATES, JAPAN.

Bombay	Singapore	Hongkong
Calcutta	Penang	Shanghai
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CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS. Interest is allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on the minimum monthly balance of not under Rs. 1 000 and not exceeding Rs 1,00,000 but no interest is allowed when the sum accrued does not amount to Rs. 5 half-yearly. Amounts above Rs. 1,00,000 will be received on terms which may be ascertained upon application.
GOVERNMENT SECURITIES, STOCKS and SHARES bought and sold on account of clients also received for safe custody and collection of Interest and Dividends, when due.
FIXED DEPOSITS are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.
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Esplanade Road,
Post Box No. 34, Bombay.
Office Hours—10-30 a.m. to 4-0 p.m.
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THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.
(Incorporated in England.)
Subscribed Capital £1,125,000
Paid-up Capital 562,500
Reserve Liability of Shareholders. £562,500
Reserve Fund £800,000
HEAD OFFICE:
15, Gracechurch Street, London, E.C.
LONDON BANKERS:
The Bank of England.
London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.
BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:

Bangkok	Hongkong	Kwala Lumpor	
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The Bank negotiates and collects Bills and grants Drafts payable at its Head Office and branches and issues Letters of Credit for the use of Travellers.
The Bank receives Deposits on the following terms:—
CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
Opened and interest allowed thereon at 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances up to Rs. 1 lakh.
Every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business undertaken.
Sums above Rs. 1 lakh will be received on terms to be ascertained on application.
FIXED DEPOSITS.
Fixed deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.
NEW BRITISH WAR LOANS.—The Bank undertakes applications for these Loans on account of Constituents, and collection of interest thereon as it falls due FREE OF COMMISSION.
J. B. CRICHTON,
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Paid-up Capital $15,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors. $15,000,000
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CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
Interest allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on Daily Balances of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,00,000 provided the sum accrued amounts to Rs. 5 half yearly.
FIXED DEPOSITS
Are received for varying periods up to 12 months on terms which may be ascertained on application. Drafts granted on London and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. Credits granted. Bills purchased and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
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ESTABLISHED 15TH MAY, 1895.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Capital Authorized	50,00,000	0	
Capital Issued	31,00,000	0	0
Capital Subscribed	31,00,000	0	0
Capital Paid-up	16,33,439	15	5
Reserve Funds	11,37,452	8	0

HEAD OFFICE—LAHORE.
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FIXED DEPOSITS are received for 12 months and shorter periods at rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.
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LOANS, OVERDRAFTS and CASH CREDITS. The Bank grants accommodation on terms to be arranged against approved security.
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For other particulars and rules of business apply to:—
NAND LAL PURI,
Manager.

THE BANK OF INDIA, LTD.
ESTABLISHED 7TH SEPTEMBR, 1906.
INCORPORATED UNDER THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT VI OF 1882.
HEAD OFFICE—ORIENTAL BUILDINGS. BOMBAY.
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED ..... Rs. 1,00,00,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP ..... Rs. 50,00,000
RESERVE FUND ..... Rs. 10,00,000
CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
Interest is allowed on daily balances from Rs. 300 to Rs. 1,00,000 at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum from December 1st to May 31st, and 2 per cent. per annum for the remaining six months. On sums exceeding Rs. 1,00,000 interest is allowed by special arrangement. No interest will be allowed which does not amount to Rs. 3 per half year.
FIXED DEPOSITS.
Deposits are received fixed for one year or for shorter periods at rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.
GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.
Transacted rules for which can be obtained on application.
H. P. STRINGFELLOW,
Manager.

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Best arrangements for high class ladies and gentlemen.
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WANTED—Immediately SHARE BROKERS and CANVASSERS, for sound business and sufficient remuneration to see the MANAGER, Eastern Trading Co., 30, Medows Street, Bell Lane, during office hours on Monday only. 43

WANTED AT ONCE for German East Africa (under British Flag) THREE CAPABLE GOAN or PARSEE CLERKS, knowing typewriting and accounts, salary Rs. 120 to Rs. 150 per month with temporary allowance of Rs. 2 per diem, free passage. Apply Box No. 241, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 20

WANTED—A SUB-DIVISIONAL CLERK, on a salary of Rs. 40 p.m. according to qualifications. Service is temporary but is likely to continue for some years if satisfaction is given. Only those who have previous experience need apply with copies of testimonials before 15th October 1917. C. B. POOLEY, Executive Engineer, Lake Whiting District, No. 1, Char Bungalows, Poona, 19th September, 1917. 7

SITUATIONS VACANT.

WANTED—A TYPIST, one with knowledge of Gujerati preferred. Apply to Box No. 237 Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 3

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A SMART SHORTHAND TYPIST. Only Hindus need apply. PREMCHAND ROYCHAND & SONS, Apollo Street, Fort. 4

WANTED—A G. B. V. C., as S. H. SUPERINTENDENT, on Rs. 60 1/5 75 per month. Apply to CHAIRMAN, S. C. Kurla Municipality. 8

WANTED—An ASSISTANT WEAVING MASTER for a local Mill. Apply personally to the WEAVING MASTER, Victoria Mill, Gamdevi. 25

WANTED—A Competent HINDU CLERK, knowing Correspondence and Accounts, able to manage office work. Apply stating pay expected to Box No. 246, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 33

WANTED—A qualified or experienced SANITARY INSPECTOR on a salary of Rs. 20—25. Apply before 15th October 1917 to V. K. BHAGAWAT, President, Amalner Municipality. 9948

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WANTED—A GRADUATE for full time duty having good command over the Gujrathi Language and capable of forming serial writings. Salary according to qualifications. Apply to Box No. 248, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle. 44

WANTED by a European firm most energetic MANAGER for their Delhi Branch. Only men with long experience in piecegoods and sundries and fully acquainted with the Delhi Market need apply to Box No. 232, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 9935

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WANTED—An EXPERT CANVASSER and ADVERTISER for the Gwalior State Factories. Submit copies of testimonials and photos and state salary expected. ALAKH DHARI, Inspector General of Commerce and Industry, Gwalior, Sipri. 9994

WANTED.—Two trained MIDWIVES for the City of Baroda on a salary of Rs. 55 each rising to Rs. 75 (Rs. 5 every 2 years) with Rs. 12 allowance. Duties to attend all maternity cases when sent for. Room provided. No quarters. No private fees allowed. Apply with testimonials to the Chief Medical Officer, Baroda State. 49

WANTED.—AN ENGINEER on probation for one year for the Nagpur Municipality. Pay Rs. 200 rising to Rs. 400 in 10 years. The post is pensionable. Applications stating age and copies of testimonials must reach the undersigned on or before the 15th October, 1917. H. N. RAY, Chief Executive Officer, Municipal Committee, Nagpur. Dated 25th September 1917. 34.

SITUATION WANTED.

WANTED—POST by an M.A. (History), having teaching experience as TUTOR for an hour daily. Apply Box No. 243, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 30

WANTED

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A second hand HOPMOBILE MOTOR-CAR of the latest type. Apply stating particulars to Box No. 234, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 9992

WANTED—A torpedo shape, six seater MOTOR CAR, second-hand. Write to Box No. 247, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 42

WANTED—AGENTS by The Easter Industrial Works for Phenyle. Sealing Wax, Black, Japan, etc. Write G. V. MEHTA & Co., Shanghvi Sadan, Sandhurst Road, Bombay. 9553

WANTED—PLANING MACHINES of different sizes for a mechanical shop. Apply with prices and particulars to Box No. 242, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 29

WANTED.—Latest type MOTOR CYCLE preferably with side-car, little used in perfect order. Apply sharp to Box No. 230, Advt. Dept. "Bombay Chronicle." 9979.

WANTED—A LOAN of Rs. 1,500, hard cash, will repay in easy monthly instalments and pass a bond for Rs. 2,500 towards interest and capital. Apply to Box No. 240, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 24

WANTED—AGENTS for the SALE OF "THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE" in the principal cities of India. For terms communicate with the MANAGING-DIRECTOR, Indian Newspaper Co., Ltd., 6, Medows Street Fort, Bombay.

WANTED

WANTED.—2,500 ft. of second hand cast iron spigot and socket pipe, 6in. diameter in good condition and mention the price required to A. S. K. IYENGAR, Superintendent State Gardens, Junagadh. 48

WANTED—English or French TWO SEATER MOTOR CAR. Write to Box No. 245, Advt Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 32

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FOR SALE—Double Gins, Openers, Lancashire Boilers, 24ft. by 6ft. by 150 and 125 lbs. Pressure Engines, etc. for particulars write to ENGINEER & Co., Pydowni, Bombay, 3. 46

FOR SALE—BRASS EYELETS Nos. 24, 26 and 28. Apply for particulars to H. BEVIS & CO., Post Box No. 29, Cawnpore. 9993

25,000 MULE SPINDLES with complete preparatory Machinery of Messrs. Plat Bros. for sale. Apply for particulars to SHREE RADHA KRISHNA COTTON MILLS, Goosery, Howrah. 45

FOR SALE—A second-hand STEAM ROAD ROLLER, 8 tons, in good order. Apply to Messrs. TEJOO KAYA and Co., New Nagpada, Bombay. 4708

BS. A. PUCCA PATH RACERS, the machine which has been the top notch in cycle racing world. Rs. 206. Only a few received. WELLINGTON CYCLISTS, Bombay and Poona. C

FOR SALE.—Smart U. H. L. GOLD ART STEEL COMBINATION ROLL TOP Brief and Foolscap size TYPEWRITER TABLES and CABINETS by Toledo Metal Furniture Co., of America, at MEHTA AUCTIONEER'S ROOMS, 53, Medows Street, Fort. 977

FOR SALE.—Five seater, 1917 model, 6 cylinder BUICK MOTOR CAR bearing No. 6022. Complete with electric starter, head and side lamps. Very little used. Apply to Box No. 244, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 31

FOR SALE—A 14-20 H.-P. 4 Cylinder SIDDELEY DEASY CAR, as good as new, with high class 7-seated cabriolet body, fitted with dynamo, electric lights and horn, speedometer, electro communicator, 8 days' watch, etc. Price Rs. 13,000. Apply to Box No. 226, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 9951

TO BE LET.

TO BE LET—A BUNGALOW, Bandra Hill, Kane Road No. 15. Apply Messrs. KING, KING & Co., Bombay. 6

TO BE LET.—Well Furnished BUNGALOWS, Situated on the public Road in Khandala. For further particulars apply to Mr. CAWASJI BOMANJEE, Maneck Villa, Mahim, Bombay. 47

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.

WANTED large PREMISES suitable for Film business, in our near Fort. Will be able to take entire lease of the building, or entertain the idea of constructing special building for us. Long lease in an case. Apply PATHE FRERES, Ltd., (Incorporated in France), 327, Hornby Road Bombay. 9940

FOR SALE

TWO complete COTTON GINNING FACTORIES, situated at Tando Adam and Nawab Shah, belonging to the Punjab Cotton Press Co., Ltd. Particulars of machinery are given below:—

TANDO ADAM.

Single gins Platt Brothers	40
Opener, Double Platt Brothers	1
Dynamo	1
Boiler 6½ x 24	1
Engine 12 x 20 x 24	1

with buildings.

All abovementioned in good working order.

NAWAB SHAH.

Single gins Platt Brothers	36
Opener Double Platt Brothers	1
Boiler 6½ x 24	1
Engine 11 x 19	1

with buildings.

All abovementioned in good working order.

For further particulars please communicate with:—

The MANAGING AGENT,
Punjab Cotton Press Co. Ltd.,
Bharat Buildings, Lahore.

Dated 20th September, 1917. 9935

THE BOMBAY COTTON MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Bombay Cotton Manufacturing Co. Ltd., will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 9, Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of October, 1917, at 3 o'clock (S.T.), in the afternoon, when the ordinary Resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 17th day of September, 1917, be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.

Thereafter at 3-15 p.m., (S.T.), the THIRTY-SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the shareholders of this Company will be held to receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Statements of Accounts etc., already circulated to the shareholders.

By Order of the Board,
HORMUSJEE SONS & Co.,
Agents.

Dated the 21st day of September, 1917. 9911

PUBLIC NOTICES:

THE ALBERT PRESS COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the office of the above Company will be REMOVED from No. 91, Medows Street, Fort, to No. 79, Medows Street Fort, from 1st October, 1917.

Bombay, 29th September, 1917.

R. E. ROHINGAR & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

CIRCULAR.

MESSRS. VARJIVANDAS CHOONILAL and Co. 56, Esplanade Road, Bombay, shall be glad to receive enquiries in millstores, chemicals and other foreign goods, as they are in a position to offer their customers exceptional advantages in regard to prices, terms, etc. having secured many valuable connections both in India Japan and Continent. 49.

THE STANDARD BANK, LTD.
(IN LIQUIDATION.)

FROM the 1st day of October 1917 the Registered Office of the above Company will be REMOVED to KANTA BUILDING, Kalbadevi Road, BOMBAY.

Bombay, 29th September 1917.

VITHALDAS DAMODHER GOVINDJEE
38. Joint Liquidator.

THE GOCULDAS CULLIANJI AHMEDNAGAR COTTON PRESS CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on TUESDAY the 9th October 1917, at the registered office of the Company, No. 10, Tamarind Lane, Fort, Raja Bahadur Shivlal Motilal Mansions, at 3-30 p.m. (B.T.) to consider and pass the special resolution given below:—

SPECIAL RESOLUTION.

"That the Directors of this Company be and they are hereby authorised and empowered to extend the business of the Company, by starting gin and press factory or factories and for that purpose purchase, acquire or leaseland, either leasehold or freehold either with or without building or with or without machinery or any other manufactory or manufactories, from any joint stock company, or companies or other private or public concern at any place in India, as the Directors may deem proper, on such terms and conditions as they the Directors in their discretion may deem fit, and do all other acts and deeds and build buildings and purchase machinery for working such new factory or factories.

By order of the Board,
VALUBHDAS DAYAL & Co.
Secretaries, Treasurers & Agents.

Bombay 28th September, 1917.

N.B.—Notice is hereby given that another meeting will be held at the registered office of the Company at 3-30 (B.T.) on the 17th October, 1917, to confirm the above resolution if the same is passed. 51.

THE CENTRAL INDIA SPINNING, WEAVING & MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Central India Spinning, Weaving and Manufacturing Co. Ltd., will be held at the Registered Office of the Company at Navsari Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, on THURSDAY, the 4th day of October, 1917, at 4 p.m., (S. T.), when the following Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on TUESDAY, the 18th day of September, 1917, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution:—

"That Article 3 B of the Articles of Association of the Company be altered by inserting therein after the figure and words '5 per cent. per annum' the words 'free of Income Tax.'"

By order of the Board of Directors,
KAVASJI K. MEHTA,
Secretary.

Navsari Buildings,
Hornby Road, Fort,
Bombay, 30th August, 1917. 9927

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.
(Incorporated in England).

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF STORES.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by THE AGENT, at his Office at Victoria Terminus, Bombay, up to 1 p.m., (Standard Time) on WEDNESDAY, 10th October, 1917, for the supply of the articles noted below, during the twelve months commencing from 1st January, 1918.

B. Miscellaneous Coountry Stores.
D. Stationery and Paper.

2. Separate Tender Forms of each of the above, giving particulars of the approximate quantities and description of stores required and the conditions on which Tenders will be received, may be obtained on application at the General Storekeeper's Office, Parel, on payment of Rs. 2 for each Form. No refund will be made on account of unused Tender Forms.

3. The Agent reserves the right to select one or more items from any Tender without reference to the other items on the same Tender and the Tenderer shall be required to supply the same at the rates quoted.

4. Tenders should be prescribed with headings as above and a deposit of 10 per cent. of the value of stores, etc., tendered for with a maximum of Rs. 1,000, should accompany each Tender, without which no Tender will be considered. Only cash or currency notes on which no interest will be allowed (if currency notes are for Rs. 100 or upwards they must be of the Bombay Circle) or Government Promissory Notes will be received as deposits and if the latter they must be endorsed "Pay Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company or order." Interest on Government Promissory Notes lodged with the Company as Tender Deposits will not be realised by the Company unless such interest is payable at Bombay.

5. All stores must be in accordance with the Company's standard samples, which may be seen at the General Storekeeper's Office, Parel.

6. The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

W. L. SHAW,
Ag. General Storekeeper.

General Storekeeper's Office,
Parel, 13th September, 1917. 9822

PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE INDIAN COTTON COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's offices at Church Gate Street within the Fort of Bombay, at 3 O'clock (S.T.) on TUESDAY the 9th day of October, 1917, when the Resolution mentioned in the Notice dated the 11th day of September, 1917, posted to Shareholders, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 24th day of September 1917, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.

Dated this 1st day of October 1917.

By order of the Board of Directors
For the Indian Cotton C., Ltd.
K. H. McCormack,
39. Managing Director.

THE GOCULDAS CULLIANJI AHMEDNAGAR COTTON PRESS CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on TUESDAY, the 9th October 1917, at the registered office of the Company No. 10, Tamarind Lane, Fort, at 3 p.m. (B.T.) to transact the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and audited Balance Sheet and profit and loss account of the Company, made upto 30th June 1917.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To elect directors in place of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.
4. To appoint an auditor for the ensuing year and to fix his remuneration.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 2nd to 18th October 1917 both days inclusive, when the books of the Company will be open for the inspection of the Shareholders.

By order of the Board,
VALUBHDAS DAYAL & Co.
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.

28th September 1917. 50.

NOTICE.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS.

MESSRS. ROGERS & Co., Mineral Water Manufacturers desire to inform the public that their Head Office will be REMOVED on and from 1st October, 1917, from No. 26, Hummum Street, Fort, to their new and extensive factory premises at No. 18, CLARE ROAD, BYCULLA.

All communications, letters and orders should be addressed to No. 18, Clare Road, Byculla.

Telephone messages and orders will be immediately attended to

Telephone No. 1693.
Clare Road, Byculla.
24th September, 1917. 9960

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of SECRETARY and CHIEF ACCOUNTANT to the BOMBAY CITY IMPROVEMENT TRUST on a salary of Rs. 500 rising by annual increments of Rs. 50 to Rs 800 per mensem.

Applications must be accompanied by recommendations from applicant's present and recent employers and must reach the CHAIRMAN, BOMBAY IMPROVEMENT TRUST before 1st NOVEMBER, 1917.

The selected candidate will have to take up his appointment on 22nd JANUARY, 1918 9624.

NOTIFICATION.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that his Excellency the Governor-in-Council desires to nominate as under 15 candidates for training in the Ranger's course, at the Forest College, Debra Dun, with a view to their qualifying for appointment to the Bombay Forest Department as Rangers:—

6 for service in the Northern Circle.
3 for service in the Central Circle.
4 for service in the Southern Circle.
2 for service in the Sind Circle.

2. Candidates desiring to serve in any of the above Circles should submit their applications in person to the Conservators of the respective Circles in their offices at Nasik, Poona, Dharwar and Karachi on 15th October, 1917, at 12 noon.

3. Candidates must be not less than 18 nor more than 23 years of age on 1st April, 1918. They should furnish with their applications the following certificates:—

(i) A certificate that the candidate is a "Native of India" as described in section 6 of 33 Victoria, Chapter 3.
(ii) A certificate of age.
(iii) A health certificate in the form prescribed by article 49 of the Civil Service Regulations (Fifth Edition) signed by the Civil Surgeon of any one of the Districts.
(iv) A certificate of respectability and good moral character from two or more persons whose social or official position can be accepted as a guarantee of trustworthiness.
(v) A certificate that the candidate has passed one or other of the following examinations, viz:—
(a) The B.A., F.A., B.Sc., or Licentiate of Agriculture Examination;
(b) The Matriculation Examination, where no school Final Examination exists;
(c) The School Final Examinations, provided the candidate can show that he has qualified in English and Mathematics up to the Matriculation standard or for European candidates, a certificate of having passed the High School Examination with a similar proviso.

N. B.—The certificates (iii) and (iv) must bear date not further back than April 1st of the year previous to that in which the candidate desires admission to the College.

4. Stipends will be paid to the successful candidates whilst at the College.

5. Any further information required may be obtained on personal application, by the candidates at the Conservators' Offices.

By Order,
T. R. BELL,
Senior Conservator of Forests.

Camp Via Belgaum,
21st September, 1917. 9957.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA, LTD.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO COAL MERCHANTS AND COLLIERY PROPRIETORS.

BRANCH AT JHARIA COALFIELDS.

A BRANCH of the Central Bank of India, Limited, will be opened at Jharia, Manbhum District (Bihar and Orissa) by the end of October, 1917. Every kind of Banking Business will be transacted at this Branch.

S. N. POCHKHANAWALLA,
Chief Manager.
36. Central Bank of India, Ltd.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the CITY OF BOMBAY BUILDINGS CO., LD., have contracted to sell to our client BORAH ABDULHOOSEIN TYBALLI BENGALI, the undermentioned property. Any person or persons having or making any claim against the said property by way of sale, mortgage, transfer, lease, exchange, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lien, or otherwise howsoever is or are requested to make the same known in writing to us at our office at No. 9, Bell Lane, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim and the same, if any, shall be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

FIRSTLY:—All that piece of land situate on the south side of Princess Street on the Board's Princess Street, Estate in the City and Island and Sub-Registration district of Bombay, which piece of land has been computed to contain a total area of five hundred and nineteen square yards or thereabouts and which is bounded on the North by Princess Street, aforesaid on the East by Plot No. 3 of the said Estate hereunder secondly described on the South by a service passage and on the west by Plot No. 1 of the said Estate which said piece of land is known as Plot No. 2, Princess Street, on the Princess Street Estate of the Board and which said premises are assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 8243 and are assessed by the Municipality under Ward Nos. 2913 to 2915 Street Nos. 50-52 together with the buildings now erected and built thereon and known as "May Buildings," all which said premises are held under a Lease dated the eleventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight and made between the Trustees for the Improvement of the City of Bombay of the one part and Ardeshir Jamsetji Billimoria of the other part (of which Lease the Company are the Assignees under deed dated the twenty-second day of September one thousand nine hundred and eight) for the term of nine hundred and ninety-nine years from the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and five, at the rents reserved by the said Lease.

SECONDLY:—All that piece of land situate on the south side of Princess Street on the Board's Princess Street Estate, in the City and Island and Sub-Registration District of Bombay, which piece of land has been computed to contain a total area of one hundred and forty-two square yards or thereabouts and which is bounded on the North by Princess Street aforesaid, on the East by other property of the Board (known as Plot No. 3 Princess Street Estate) on the South by a Service Passage and on the West by Plot No. 2 comprised in and demised and assigned by the Principal and Supplemental Indentures respectively now in the possession of the lessees as tenants thereof, and which said piece of land is on the Princess Street Estate of the Board forms a portion of the lands belonging to the Board and the said premises are assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under New No. 8243 and are assessed by the Municipality under Ward Nos. 2943, 3947 to 2952 Street Nos. 72, 85, 90 and are now vacant.

Dated this 27th day of September, 1917.

MATUBHAI JAMIETRAM & MADAN.
Purchasers Attorneys. 41

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. AMBAJI GANGARAM PULEE, SHANKARAO GANGARAM PULEE and DATTATRAYA GANGARAM PULEE, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitants have agreed to sell the undermentioned property. All persons having any claim to or upon the said property by way of mortgage, inheritance, lease, sale, gift, lien, or otherwise, howsoever are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office No. 74, Esplanade Road in Fort, Bombay, in the Mercantile Bank Building within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise, the same if any will be considered to have been waived and the purchase will be completed without regard thereto.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTIES.

FIRST:—All that piece or parcel of Forasland or ground, situate lying and being on the East side of Tardeo Road in the City of Bombay, together with messuages tenements or dwelling houses standing thereon containing by admeasurement 4658·27 superficial yards or thereabouts and situated within the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. S. New No. 13483, Old Survey No. 457 and New Survey No. 1·3391 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Ward D Nos. 3816 (1), 3816 (A), 3816 (B), 3816 (C) and 3816 (1D) and Street Nos. 563-575, 575A, 675B, 675C, and 675D and bounded as follows:—That is to say on or towards the North by the property of Hormusji Nowroji Davar, on or towards the South by Municipal Public passage or old branch of the B. B. & C. I. Railway line, on or towards the West by the said Tardeo Road and on or toward the East by the property of the Alliance Cotton Manufacturing Company, Limited.

SECONDLY:—All that piece or parcel of land of the Pension and Tax Tenure situate at Dadar in the city of Bombay together with the messuages tenements or dwelling houses standing thereon, containing by admeasurement 3950 square yards or thereabouts and situated within the Registration sub-district of Bombay, and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under old No. 11 and 720, New No. 4664, A/3476 and 3479, New Survey Nos. 1/1378, 6 890 and 3/1377 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G Ward Nos. 4016/(1) 4016 (2) and 4017 Street Nos. 377, 377A, and 378 and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards [illegible] by the property of Bhasker Hiri[illegible] or towards the South by a public [illegible] or towards the West by the propo[illegible] Valles and on or towards the E[illegible] cipal proposed Road.

Dated this 29th da[illegible] Septem[illegible] PAT[illegible] urchaser[illegible]

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LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bai AISHABAI, wife of MOLVI MOHOMED SIDDICK and Bai FATMABAI, wife of MOLVI AMIN, both of Jamnagar Mahomedan inhabitants by their duly constituted attorney Chunilal Paswir Mehta have agreed to sell to our client the property hereinafter mentioned.

All persons having any claim or demand against the said property by way of mortgage, gift, sale, trust, possession, inheritance, lease, lien, or otherwise, howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at 123, Esplanade Road, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, as otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim or demand and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece or parcel of land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house, standing thereon, situate lying and being at Khetvadi 10th lane without the Fort and in the registration Sub-District of Bombay, and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 2118-2119, New No. 1 A 2223, Old Survey No. 812 and New Survey No. 3 5506 and assessed by the Collector of Municipal taxes under D Ward No. 2065 (1) Street No. 7 A and containing by admeasurement two hundred and forty-five square yards or thereabouts and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards the East by the property of Comroodin Tyabji, on or towards the West by the Khetwadi 10th Lane, on or towards the North by the property of Dhanjibhoy Nowroji Gariwalla and on or towards the South by the property of Gulbai daughter of Merwanji Bomanji.

WADIA GHANDY & CO.,
Attorneys for the Purchaser.

123, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.
28th September, 1917. 37

SALE BY AUCTION.

J. S. MODY & CO.
80, APOLLO STREET FORT.
Telephone No. 3409.

By order of the Embarkation Supply Officer Bombay, Messrs. J. S. MODY, and Co. will on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of October, 1917, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.), sell by public auction at Grain Depot, Tank Bunder, Mazagon:—

A quantity of oats crushed, gram crushed, bran, barley crushed old gunnies hoop iron, hoop iron wire wood etc., etc.

Cash will be required on the lots being knocked down.

Under instuctions from the Superintendent, Army Clothing Factory, Messrs. J. S. MODY, and Co., will sell by public auction on THURSDAY, the 4th day of October, 1917, at 3 p.m., (S.T.), at the Army Clothing Factory, opposite the old Colaba Railway station, in the compound of Gun Carrige Factory, Colaba, a lot of unserviceable clothing, gunnies iron hoops, waste paper, cases, tin linning etc., etc.

Cash will be required on the lots being knocked down.

J. S. MODY & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 1st October, 1917.

CRAWFORD & CO'S SALES.

SALE TO-DAY AT 5 p.m.

A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO CAPITALISTS.

AUCTION SALE of the insolvents' Valuable landed property, known as Jubilee Mansion behind Dr. Masina's Old Hospital and near the Parsi Statue, at Ripon Road, Byculla.

Under instructions from B. N. Lang, Esq., the Official Assignee of Bombay and the Assignee of the Estate and effects of Vussonji Deoji Thacker and another Insolvents, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction THIS DAY MONDAY, the 1st October, 1917, at 5 p. m. (S. T.) all the right, title and interest of the said insolvents in the following valuable landed property on the premises.

PARTICULARS OF PROPERTY.—All that piece or parcel of land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Ripon Road, Byculla, in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, admeasuring 789 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 3582 and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under "L" Ward No. 3753 (3), and Street No. 5B, and bounded on the East by the property of J. B. King Macbeth, on the West by the property of Naranji Dwarkadas, on the North by the property of Abdool Rahiman Jiteker, and others, and on the South by the private passage.

For further particulars and printed copies of conditions of sale, apply to Messrs. Surajmal and Co., Solicitors for the said Official Assignee at their Office in Medows Street Fort, or to the Undersigned.

CRAWFORD & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay 1st October, 1917.

MESSRS. MEHTA & CO
Auctioneers to the Government and G. I. P. Railway.
No. 53, Medows Street, Fort Bombay.
Telephone No. 1285.

AUCTION SALE ON THURSDAY THE 4th OCTOBER AT 2-30 P.M., (S.T.) SALE OF HIGHLY POLISHED TEAK AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE BY WINBRIDGE, ROBERTS, DEVJI AND OTHER WELLKNOWN MAKERS COTTAGE PIANO BY HENRY WARD & Co., OF LONDON, JOST RADIO FAN, ELECTRIC TABLE FAN, SINGER'S HAND SEWING MACEINE, WILLIAM TYPEWRITER, ETC., ETC.

On THURSDAY, the 4th inst. at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction at their Rooms the very valuable highly polished teak and blackwood household furniture by Wimbridge Roberts, Devji, and other wellknown makers such as dining tables, dining chairs, mirrored side boards, rich silk tapestry lined drawing room suites of sofas and chairs, rich artistic cabinets silver show cases, rich palm stands, Brass flower pots, rich ornaments, full compass cottage piano by Henry Ward and Co., of London, rich oil paintings and historical pictures William Typewriter, rich teapoys, rich writing tables, carved centre tables and jardineer stands, Jost radio fan, Joomkaty Almirah by Wimbridge, selected double and single bedroom almirahs, clothes and gown presses, dressing chests of drawers marble topped dressing and washing tables, rich double and single beds, Singers hand-sewing machine, rich oil carpets, China mattings, English glass and porcelainware, rich plated ware by Mappin and Webb and Reed and Barton, etc., etc., the property of J. Clive Esqr., including that of W. H. Foster Esq. and N. B. Goodson, Esqr.

Catalogues will be published and the property is on view.

MEHTA & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 1st October, 1917.

SALE BY AUCTION

BENNETT & CO.
NO. 22, APOLLO STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS.

Under instructions from the owners, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will THIS DAY MONDAY the 1st October, sell by Public Auction, at 12 noon (S.T.) on the premises at Sopari Bagh, Parel Road, next to Sir Jacob Sassoon's Mills, the following:—

The building materials of two chawls abutting on Tram lines.

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY AT TAMARIND LANE, FORT.

Under instructions from Mr. Hormasji N. Vakil, the Sole Surviving Executor and Trustee of the last Will and Testament of the late Mahomed Haji Saboo and with the approval of the Hon'ble the Advocate-General of Bombay in order to wind up the Estate and utilise the surplus in charity, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., Auctioneers, will sell the undermentioned immovable property by Public Auction, on the premises, on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd October, 1917, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.):—

All that piece or parcel of Quit and Ground Rent land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon known as the Old Government Postal Press, situated at Tamarind Lane, within the Fort of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 669 square yards, or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 132-133, New Nos. 1980-4982-4984, Old Survey No. 1531, and New Survey No. 9419, and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Haji Alli Mahomed Haji Cassum, on or towards the West by the property of Merwanji Jehangir Tarachand and Bomonji Pestonji Palkhiwala, on or towards the North by a private passage and on or towards the South by Tamarind Lane, and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under A Ward; Ward No. 1265, and Street Nos. 4-6-8.

N. B.—The above property realises a large amount of rent per month.

For further particulars and conditions of sale applications should be made to Messrs. Payne and Co., Attorneys for the said Executor and Trustee, or Messrs. Mulla and Mulla, Attorneys for the Advocate-General of Bombay, or to the Undersigned.

BONA-FIDE SALE.

Under instructions from Mrs. A Rhenius, Messrs. BENNETT & Co., will on SUNDAY, the 7th October at 2-30 p.m., sell by Public Auction at Victoria Road, Byculla, very valuable and handsome teak and blackwood household furniture, rich glass and crockeryware, best platedware, sliding, dining table, arm and armless chairs, large sideboards, drawing room cabinets, tapestry ornaments, Persian and English carpets, parlineers, writing table book cases, wall clocks one sweet toned ebonized cottage piano by Schiedmayer, music books, Jost fan, brass and iron single and double bedsteads, mirror door almyrahs, cloth and gown presses, bentwood chairs, marble top dressing and washhand tables, camphorwood chest, dressing chest of drawers, reclining sofas, cane furniture, single and double door iron safes screens beaded door chicks, ice box, ice chest, copper utensils verandah chicks, valuable garden pots and tubs, gas fittings, China matting, valuable fowls, and fowl houses, etc., etc.

Catalogues will be published and the property on view 4 days before the sale.

AUCTION SALE OF EXCELLENT BUILDING PLOTS AT SANDHURST ROAD.

Under instructions from the Bombay Improvement Trust, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will, on TUESDAY, the 9th October, 1917, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), sell by Public Auction on Plot No. 88, Sandhurst Road, the right of occupancy of the following plots for a term of 999 years.

LOT No. 1.—A very valuable plot of building land, being Plot No. 88, Sandhurst Road. (West) having frontages to 4 roads, and containing about 431 square yards.

LOT No. 2.—An excellent building site known as Plot No. 25, Sandhurst Road (East), having 94 feet 6 inches frontage to Sandhurst Road and 54 feet 6 inches to Balu Street and containing about 637 square yards.

For further particulars and conditions of sale and plan of the sites, application may be made to the Board's Land Manager or to the undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTIES AT COLABA CAUSEWAY.

Under instructions from Mr. Hormasji N. Vakil, the Sole Surviving Executor and Trustee of the last Will and Testament of the late Mahomed Haji Saboo and with the approval of the Hon'ble the Advocate-General of Bombay in order to wind up the Estate and utilise the surplus in charity, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., Auctioneers, will sell the undermentioned immoveable property by Public Auction on the premises, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th October, 1917 at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.):—

1st:—All that piece or parcel of leasehold land with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate lying and being on the Apollo Reclamation Estate in the Island of Bombay containing by admeasurement 165 1-9 square yards, or thereabouts and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the North by the premises formerly belonging to Haji Adam Haji Abba and now belonging to the estate of the late Mr. Mahomed Haji Saboo, on or towards the South by the Ormiston Road, on or towards the East by the Sorab Building, belonging to Sorabji R. Contractor, and on or towards the West by Colaba Causeway, which said premises are registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 3560, and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Ward A, Ward No. 558 and Street No. 1, and are situate in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay.

2nd:—All that piece or parcel of Leasehold land together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being on the Apollo Reclamation Estate in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 506 3-9 square yards or thereabouts and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the North and South by the premises formerly belonging to Haji Adam Haji Abba and now belonging to the estate of the late Mr. Mahomed Haji Saboo, on or towards the East partly by vacant land belonging to the Trustees of the Port of Bombay and partly by the Sorab Building, belonging to Sorabji R. Contractor, and on or towards the West by Colaba Causeway which said premises are assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 3560, and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Ward A, Ward No. 558, and Street No. 2 and are situate in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay.

3rd:—All that piece or parcel of Leasehold land with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being on the Apollo Reclamation Estate in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 475 2-9 square yards or thereabouts and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the North by the Mandlik Road, on or towards the South by premises formerly belonging to Haji Adam Haji Abba and now belonging to the estate of the late Mr. Mahomed Haji Saboo, on or towards the East

SALE BY AUCTION.

BENNETT & CO.—(*Contd*)

by the vacant land belonging to the Trustees of the Port of Bombay, and on or towards the West by Colaba Causeway which said premises are assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 3560, and are assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Ward A, Ward No. 560, Street No. 3, and are situate in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay.

N.B.—The above property realises a large amount of rent per month.

For further particulars and conditions of sale applications should be made to Messrs. Payne and Co., Attorneys for the said Executor and Trustee, or Messrs. Mulla and Mulla, Attorneys for the Advocate-General of Bombay, or to the Undersigned.

BENNETT & Co.,

Bombay 1st October, 1917.

MENESSE & CO.
NO. 35, HUMMUM STREET.

AUCTION SALE of 35 BALES CORUWA COIR YARN.

EX: S. S. "DAMAO."

Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 1st October, 1917, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) at Mallet Bunder in the Shed of the Bombay Port Trust, by order of Messrs. W. and A. Graham and Co. the following cargo ex. the above vessel.

35 bales Coruwa Coir Yarn.

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required on the lots being knocked down.

AUCTION SALE OF SURPLUS AND OBSOLETE SHIP STORES.

Under instructions from the Bombay Steam Navigation Coy. Ltd., Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 5th October 1917, at 3 p.m. (S.T.) at the Patent slip, Mazagon, the following surplus and obsolete ship stores:—

Old Mines and Buoys, Wakefield Lamp, Jost and electric table fan, reflector enamelled and iron, condemned Kitson light, ice chests, beam scale, extinguishers fire, davit, cupboard, condemned electric fitting, platform, scale, teakwood lockers, rubber scrap, Tacho meter, electric meter, spring balance, pipe cutter, ticket cases, lamps assorted, life belts, life buoys new, bulb beams, galvanized bends and couplings, hydraulic hanges, wooden blocks or pulleys, measuring chain, hydraulic pipes, G. I. coach screws, deck sky light glasses, floor plates, chain blocks, condemned iron tanks, squating marble slabs, scuttle glasses, deal wood barrels, dynamo (by Seamen Bros. and Co.) 900 revs. per minute 60 amph. 105 volts.

1 engine 5 H.P.

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required on the lots being knocked down.

MENESSE & Co.,
Auctioneers

Bombay 1st October, 1917.

GANDHI & CO
AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.
No. 52, Medows Street.

AUCTION SALE ON THE VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY SITUATE AT MAHALUXMI OUTSIDE THE FORT.

Under instructions from Baj Vithoobhai Vishnu Pandit the mortgagee and on account and at the risk of Mr. Vinayakrao Ganpatrao Kothare the mortgagor, Messrs. GANDHI & Co., will sell by Public auction, pursuant to the power of sale reserved to the mortgagee by an Indenture of mortgage dated 11th September 1911 made between the mortgagor of the one part and the mortgagee of the other part, the undermentioned property on Wednesday the 3rd October 1917 at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.), on the premises.

PARTICULARS.

All that piece or parcel of Fazandari land or ground situate at Mahaluxmi without the Fort in the City of Bombay containing by admeasurement 200 (two hundred) square yards or thereabouts be the same little more or less and bounded on or towards the East by a public passage and the Temple of Kalika Devi on or towards the West partly by the shed belonging to Ganpatrao Sadashivji and partly by the property of Vassonji Munji, on or towards the North partly by the house formerly of Khooshal Laichand and partly by the Dharmashala of Kalika Devi on or towards the South by a public passage, with buildings standing thereon, assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under "D" ward No. 3591 and Street No. 25 and bearing Collector's New Survey No. 7099.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Chitnis Motilal and Kanga Attorneys for the mortgagee at their office No. 40 Medows Street, Fort, or to the undersigned.

GANDHI & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 1st Oct. 1917.

MESSRS. SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO
AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS
31, Medows Street.

WEEKLY SALE

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co. will, on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of October, 1917, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) sell by Public Auction, at their Sale Rooms, the following:—

On account of the concerned:—

75 bundles each 1 cwt. galvanized iron wire.

3 cases each 100 bundles coloured wool, about 11 gs. bundle.

2 cases each 250 packets each 146-150 sheets tinfoils size 10½ by 7¼in. 12 oz.

3 cases each 24 dozen Japanese camphor soap.

On account of the shippers:—

Balance lots consisting of ivory, lacquered, and metal mounted walking sticks, porcelain vases, flower bowls, jars, satsuma, tea sets in silk lined cases, satsuma vases, cloisoune vases, incense burners, trays, porcelain, male, female and animal, figures of different sizes and in various colours.

SALE ON SATURDAY THE 6TH INSTANT.

By order of Messrs. Nussarwanji and Co., and on account and at the risk of Messrs. Parmandas Kersondas and Co. of Wadgudi, Mandvi.

1/12: 12 kegs Analyne dyes.
1 keg: 136 lbs. fas and navy blue.
1 keg: 200 lbs. direct orange.
1 keg: 38 lbs. victoria blue.
9 kegs: each 112 lbs. soluble blue.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 1st October, 1917.

AMUSEMENTS.

THIS WEEK **THE EMPIRE**
Presents
A GOLD ROOSTER PLAY
IN 5 PARTS,
"THE EMPRESS"

The Great Charm of **"THE EMPRESS"** lies in the straightforward story. The lack of complexity and the intensity of the play as it unfolds itself upon the screen.

A story of a good but persecuted woman.
The sophistries of an artist
The enmity of another girl
The blackmailing of a man
The suspicions of a husband

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INTENSE ACTING
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and his Trolley trouble.
TO-DAY at 6-30, 8-15 & 10 P.M.

"SEVEN DAYS' LEAVE"

"The Lyceum has staged no play of recent years with a more irresistible grip or a more coherent and plausible story."
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AT THE
ROYAL OPERA HOUSE

TO-NIGHT AT 6-30
GAIETY THEATRE
EDWARDES AT 10 p. m.
PALACE OF VARIETIES
Presents
AN ALL STAR PROGRAMME
MISS ZILLA
will sing the song of the hour
AN INSPIRATION AND THE HIT OF THE SEASON
"WHEN THE BELLS OF PEACE ARE RINGING"
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The inimitable Vesta Tilley in "We're all coming ashore to-night" and
"JOLLY GOOD LUCK"
MISS QUEENIE LLOYD
The tiny comedienne in the Comic Song "Oh That horrible Hobble Not to-night Marmaduke."
C. MORRIS
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THE WEATHERLEYS
IN A MUSICAL ABSURDITY
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In addition to above
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A LOCAL TOPICAL EVENT OF GREAT SIGNIFICANCE.
PRESENTATION OF MOTOR LAUNCHES
TO
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UP-TO-DATE MAGIC,
MYSTERIES & NOVELTIES.
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THURSDAY AT 9-30 P.M.

"PRODIGAL SON"

FRIDAY AT 9-30 P.M.

"DIANA OF DOBSON."

SATURDAY, MATINEE AT 5 P.M.

"WHY SMITH LEFT HOME"

SATURDAY AT 9-30 P.M.

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COMMERCIAL

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, Sept. 29th.

	Bales
Egyptian F.G.F. Spot	27.75

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, Sept. 29th.

M.G. Bengal Good	15.38
" Fully Good	15.63
" Fine	15.88
No 1 Oomra Good	17.00
" " Fully Good	17.25
" " Fine	17.50
Broach Good	18.34
" Fully Good	18.52
" Fine	18.70
Scinde Good	15.38
" Fully Good	15.63
" Fine	15.88

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

London, Saturday, Sept. 29th.

	Bales
Total in Sight	1,437,000
Egyptian Visible Supply	124,000
East Indian " "	119,000
American " "	1,581,000
Other " "	51,000
Total Sales	13,000
East Indian Sales	200
Total Speculation	..
" Export	..
East Indian Export	..
" " Stock	41,000
" " Forwarded	900
" " Actual Export	..
" " Imports	..
" " Speculation	..
American Afloat	150,000
East Indian Afloat	11,000
Total Afloat	197,000

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 29th

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	30,000
Futures at New York Oct.	24.23—7
" " Jan.	23.46—11
" " Mar.	23.56—7
Spot Cotton at New York	25.20—20
" New Orleans	24.13 Unchgd.
Futures at New Orleans Oct.	23.45—35
" " Jan.	22.75—12

MONEY MARKET

London, Sept. 28th.

Bar Silver Spot	49⅛
Closing Tone of Silver:—Position unchanged —Dull.	
Discount Bank of England Rate 5 per cent. since 5th April, 1917	
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	4 13/16
" Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st.	4 13/16
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	5 1/8
" " " 6 "	5 3/8
Interest day to day loans	4 1/2
" 7 day market loans	4 1/4
Consols 2½%	56⅛
Rupee Paper 3½% Nominal	50
Indian Stock 3½% Sterling Loan	65
Government Securities 3%	55
Ex. on London at Paris Francs	27.55

WAR LOANS.

London, Sept 28th.

3½% 1925—1928	£86
4½% 1925—1945	£100⅛
5% New	£94⅛

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Sept. 28th.

BAPESEED.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore usual Bold per ton Sept.-Oct. Sellers	595
Rapeseed Ferozepore Usual Bold Aug.-Sept. Value	590
Rapeseed, Yellow Gujerat 416 lbs. ex-Ship per ton Sept.-Oct. Buyers	600
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship per ton Aug.-Sept. Value	580

LINSEED.

Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship Sept. Oct. Buyers	600
Linseed small grains Sept.-Oct.	590
Linseed Calcutta Sept.-Oct. Value	595

COTTONSEED

Cottonseed, Bombay (sound delivered per ton) Nominal	380

METALS.

English best Selected Copper	£128
Standard Copper G.M.B. Nominal	£116½
Hard Spelter Nominal	..

JAVA SUGAR.

Raw Java Nos. 16/18 C. & F. Calcutta Oct.-Nov. sellers	19/6
Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Oct.-Nov. Sellers	22/9

RUBBER

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure Oct. Sellers	3/2½
Plantation First Latex crepe Oct.	2/8½

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON

(From our Commercial Correspondent.)

Bombay, Sept. 29.

This morning the bazaar rate for Good Broach April was Rs. 441, and there were sellers on Association terms at Rs. 439, but no business was reported. The Marwadi bazaar opened at 5-15 p.m. the rate for Good Broach being Rs. 442. Later on the price advanced to Rs. 445 on buying by bazaar speculators in connection with the Indore settlement, and touched Rs. 446. At Colaba the rate dropped to Rs. 442 with business passing at and about this price, and the market closed steady at Rs. 442 A fair business has been done in the bazaar, but on Association terms little has been done even at Rs. 2 under the Exchange rate for Good Broach as there were far more sellers than buyers.

For ready cotton there has been a moderate demand by exporters and mills, and prices are steady for high class lots and good stapled cotton.

QUOTATIONS 6 P.M.

NEW CROP

Good Broach	April		442
Fine Hingunghat Wardah	January		438
" Nagpur Kampti	"		434
" Khamgaon Akola	"		422
" Khandeish	"		461
" Muthia	"		330
" Bengal	"		360
Fully Good Bengal			340

Quotations for NEW CROP are nett, the 5½ per cent discount having been aboilshed.

QUOTATION AT 9-30 P.M.

NEW CROP.

Broach	439
Bengal	333

RECEIPTS.

The following are the receipts of cotton produce, etc. for the 24 hours ending 6 p.m. of 28th September:—

Cotton	2,248 bales
Wheat	18,881 cwts.
Linseed	934 "
Rape, Rai & Mustardseed, etc.	210 "
Gingelseed	Nil
Poppyseed	Nil
Groundnuts	544 "
Castorseed	2,997 "
Rice	105,544 "
Myrabollams	1,690 "
Cottonseed	375 "
Mowraseed	Nil
Gram	2,318 "
Jowar	376 "
Maize	Nil
Barley	711 "

Imports into Bombay of Hides, Skins, Horns, Hemp and Wool for the week ending 15th September.

	Weekending to 15th Sept.		1st Jan. 15th Sept.	
Hides and Skins	4,346	cwts.	372,571	cwts.
Horns	30	"	12,567	"
Hemp and Aloe Fibre	31	"	240,302	"
Wool	5,418	"	181,623	"

FREIGHTS.

The following are the current quotations of the Chamber of Commerce:—

London:—	October.
Myrabollams	£ 7 15 0
Measurement cargo	£13 15 0
Liverpool:—	
Myrabollams	£ 8 5 0
Measurement cargo	£13 15 0

THE BOMBAY COTTON EXCHANGE CO., LD.

Market Quotation for Ready and Forward Delivery Contracts as fixed by the Rate Committee of the Exchange.

COLABA, 28th Sept. 1917, at 5-30 p.m.

Growths.	Super Fine	Fine	Fully Good	Good.	Delivery
Bengals (M.G.)	362	352	340	..	Ready
Scinde-Punjab (M.G.)	361	351	339	..	Ready
Wadhwan (M.G.)	..	480	465	..	Ready
Miraj (M.G.)	..	..	..	462	Ready
Bhagalkote (M.G.)	..	..	..	438	Ready
Bijapur (M.G.)	..	..	..	434	Ready
Sawgd. Dharwar	..	..	..	465	Ready
Westerns (M.G.)	..	..	..	432	Ready
Westerns (H.G.)	..	..	..	420	Ready.
Compta (M.G.)	..	..	..	475	Ready

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

The following are to-day's closing rates as issued by the Marwari Chamber of Commerce.

	Bombay, Sept. 29th. Bazar Terms. Rs. as. p.	Rail Delivery Rs. as. p
Ready.		
Wheat, White Delhi 70-30	43 0 0	6 8 6
" " Cawnpore 70-30	42 8 0	6 8 6
" Karachi Bangla	42 0 0	6 6 0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	6 10 0	7 0 0
" Cawnpore	6 8 0	6 14 0
" Yellow Cawnpore	6 14 0	7 4 0
Linseed, Brown Bold	7 4 0	7 10 0
" Thin	7 0 0	7 6 0
Teaseed, White 35/15	44 0 0	8 4 0
" Gajar 75/25	43 0 0	8 2 0
" Gajar 50/50	42 0 0	8 0 0
" Black	36 0 0	6 8 0
Poppyseed, White	7 6 0	7 12 0
Groundnuts	37 0 0	7 12 0
Mowraseed	3 14 0	4 4 0
Forward.	Rs. as. p.	
Wheat April-May	8 8 6	
" Sept. Contract	7 8 0	
Linseed May	8 8 0	
" Sept. Contract	7 10 0	

BULLION.

In spite of the drop in the London price the local market is steady due to speculative buying.

Bar Gold 25-12.
Sovereign 15-14-6.
Silver Ready Ex-duty 99-13.
Silver 1st Sett. Ex-duty 99-14.
Silver 2nd Sett. Ex-duty 98-14.

EXCHANGE.

Bank Tel. Transfer 1/4 31/32.
Bank demand draft 1/5 1/32.
3 Months' sight Credits 1/5 13/32.
Bank demand on France Fr. 194.
3 Months' sight Francs Fr. 200¼.
D.D. on Hongkong Rs. 217.
D.D. on Shanghai Rs. 318-12.
T.T. on Japan Rs. 150.
60 days' sight Japan Rs. 140½.
Bank demand on New York Rs. 297½.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

The following are the nominal rates:—
5 per cent War Loan 1929-47.
Cum-Warrant 95.
Warrant 2/7 per cent.
4 per cent. Conversion Loan 82.
4 per cent. Terminable Loan 95.
3½ per cent. Small pieces 69.
3 per cent. Small pieces 58.
4 per cent. Port Trust Bond guaranteed redeemable 3 Months' Notice 80.
4 per cent. Long dated 78.
Municipal Long dated 76.
Municipal Short dated 80.
City Improvement 60 Years Jan.-July 79
5 per cent. Municipal Tansa 92.
Sanitary 94.
The following are the Bank rates:—
Bank of Bombay 5 per cent.
Bank of Bengal 5 per cent.
Bank of Madras 6 per cent.

SHARES.

The share market opened steady and soon improved owing to bears covering.

Standards were placed at prices varying from 1,890 to 1,915, Fazulbhoys from 797/8 to 812/8, Madhavjees from 2,295 to 2,385, Nagpurs from 2,535 to 2,545, Pearls from 545 to 555, Shapurjis from 122/8 to 125, and Simplexs from 740 to 747/8.

Century improved to 322/8, Crescents to 251/4, Currimbhoys to 345, Davids to 520, Finlays to 326 4, Kohinoors to 870.

Indian Bleeching declined to 235, and Indore Malwas to 370.

Tata Iron New ordinary shares improved to 80 Premium, Old ordinary were placed between 256/4 and 260, and New deferred shares improved to 300 Premium and Old deferreds were placed between 1,225 and 1,235, Katni deferred improved to 1,250, and Bundi to 20/8.

Alcock Ashdown improved to 1,085, Bombay Burma to 1,020, Tata Hydro to 1,205, and Bombay Steam declined to 300.

The market closed steady to firm.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 29.

The week closed with jute shares steady but quiet, there being very little inquiry of any description. A small business took place in coal shares with prices for most part unchanged. The following sales took place:—

Coal:—Bengal Giridih 24; Huntodih 19 s.l.; Jumoni 10-4; Matigara 7-0 New Kondah 14-4; Searsole 9-12, 10; Teetulmuri 15, 15-4 to 15-10.

Jute:—Barnagore (ord) 120, 119; Clive (ord) 216, 217-8, 215-8; Dalhousie (ord) 414; Howrah (ord) 430; Kamarhatty (ord) 447, 449-8; Lawrence (ord) 410, 412; Northbrook (ord) 43-12, 44; Standard (ord) 491, s.l.; 485, 487; Union (ord) 610, 614.

Miscellaneous:—Anglo Oriental Steam 86, 86-8 p; Chirisa Selangor Rubber 29; Great India Phosphate 18 p; United Flour 19-4, 19-8.

Government Paper three and a half per cent. was quoted at Re. 67-12 to Rs. [illegible] and small lots were done at Rs. 68-0 to [illegible].

SILVER MARKET.

MR. MONTAGU'S WEEKLY REPORT.

Messrs. Samuel Montagu & Co., in their circular dated August 16th write:—

GOLD.

The Bank of England gold reserve against its note issue shows an increase of £277,520, as compared with last week's return.

New York reports a total of $7,720,000 engaged for expert, of which over half was for Japan. The remainder was for Spain, Peru, Canada, and a destination unnamed.

The Transvaal gold output for July 1917, amounted to £3,219,094 as compared with £3,232,891 in July 1916 and £3,227,161 in June 1917.

The "Times of India" under date of 7th July last thus summarized the recent enactment of the Indian Government with regard to gold:—

"Under an Ordinance issued on June 29, the Government of India are taking powers to acquire all the import of gold, whether coin or bullion, in the case of current sovereigns at Rs. 15 per £1, or in the case of other coin or bullion at Rs. 1 per 7.53344 grains (troy), of fine gold, this being equivalent to the standard price for gold, namely £3-17-10½ per standard ounce. Gold coins other than current sovereigns will be paid for on the basis of their recognised legal fineness. In accordance with the general custom followed at the larger mints of the world, refined bars of recognised assay 95 per cent. on delivery and balance after the Government of India's own assay, and raw gold after assay. A Notification is also issued to-day prohibiting the import of gold except under licence. Gold so acquired will be placed in the currency reserve where it will increase the metallic backing to the note issue, and will, if it is in the form of sovereigns, be readily available for use as currency when necessary. In order further to protect their coin reserves the Government of India are also issuing a rule under the Defence of India Act prohibiting the melting, or breaking, or use otherwise than as currency, of any gold, or silver coin which is legal tender in India."

SILVER.

The price remained at 42 1/16d., until the 14th instant, when the paucity of supplies became felt so severely that a strong advance ensued, during which rises of 7/16d. and 1.1/2d. were recorded on successive days. The abnormal rise is due to a large extent to the impossibility of executing buying orders in a depleted market. This involves the corollary that should supplies overtake the demand an abnormal fall in price would be inevitable, though there is no evidence of the visible supply being increased at present.

The quotation yesterday and to-day of 44d has not been exceeded since December 1891.

The China exchanges have been very firm indeed, and transactions in Shanghai have been done at much higher figures than official quotations. This arises no doubt from the entry of China into the war, and the possibility of a loan. It is therefore fairly plain that the great fresh advance in the price of silver is mainly to be attributed to this important new factor, although the substantial local demand in America must not be ignored.

The price of silver in India remains relatively low. The last quotation is given as 106 duty paid. Before the value of a full weight rupee as bullion exceeds its normal value in India, the quotation must exceed 108 7/8 rupees per 100 tolas.

A full weight rupee contained .371621 of a standard ounce of silver. The intrinsic value therefore, of each rupee (exclusive of the cost of reduction to bullion and carriage etc. to this country) at to-day's price is 16.351d.

The silver holding of the Indian Treasury, as will be seen from the figures given below, shows an increase (27 lakhs) smaller than in preceding weeks, but the gold holding (in India and London combined) has increased by 44 lakhs.

(IN LAKHS OF RUPEES.)

Notes in Circulation July 22 9718; July 31 9931; August 7 1000.

Reserve in Silver Coin and Bullion July 22 2431; July 31 2698; August 7 2865.

Gold Coin and Bullion in India July 22 698; July 31 703; August 7 859.

Gold in England July 22 442; July 31 442; August 7 330.

The stock in Bombay consists of 2,200 bars, as compared with 1,100 bars last week.

The stock in Shanghai on 11th August 1917 consisted of about 21,500,000 ounces in sycee and 15,000,000 dollars, as compared with about 21,250,000 ounces in sycee and 15,000,000 dollars on August 4th 1917.

Quotations for bar silver p. oz. std.

August 10 42 1/16 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.

August 11 42 1/16 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery..

August 13 42 1/16 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.

August 14 42 1/2 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.

August 15 44 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.

August 16 44 cash. No quotation fixed for forward delivery.

Average 42.78.

Bank Rate 5 per cent.

Bar gold p. oz. std. 77/9.

The quotation to-day for cash delivery is 1.15/16d. above that fixed a week ago.

NATIONAL FINANCING AND COMMISSION CORPORATION, LTD,

The annual general meeting of the Shareholders of the National Financing and Commission Corporation was held on Friday at 3 p.m. at the registered office of the Company, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay.

The Hon. Rao Bahadur Mudholkar who presided said:—

Since we met last year in this hall and as foreshadowed by me then, we have made good progress in our Banking as well as Commission Departments and the Directors were able to declare an ad-interim dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum for the half year ended 31st December, 1916.

Gentlemen, you must have perceived from the balance sheet and the profit and loss accounts that the working Capital has become twice as large as it was last year and that the gross profit comes to about Rs. 1,76,640. We have wiped off all the preliminary charges from the profit and loss account and the depreciation in the value of Government Papers held by us is written off as loss and the securities are assessed at the market rate of the day instead of at the original cost price, thus avoiding the show of an artificial profit.

Afford as we can Banking accommodation, our Commission Department has become considerably popular and this popularity is sure to increase from day to day. Our business with Japanese firms has greatly increased. Our arrangements for a Piece-Goods Department in London are completed and we hope to take up orders immediately this dreadful War is over.

Gentlemen, while attending to our business we have not been unmindful of our duty to our benign Government in endeavouring to help them in financing the war and we were able to get Rs. 14,00,000 of War Loan subscribed through our local and up-country constituents.

Gentlemen, several merchants and shroffs have suggested to us to open our Branch either at Mamadevi or at Dana Bunder and the suggestion being good, the Directors have decided to have a Local Branch at the most suitable place and we hopefully look forward to further expansion of our Banking business in the near future.

FOSTERING NEW INDUSTRIES.

Gentlemen, the situation created by the War has demonstrated more forcibly than ever the desirability, I would say the necessity, of having a number of Trade Banks at every important centre of industry for fostering new industries and to encourage and support the sound ones among those which are existing. Let me assure you, gentlemen, that there is in India an immense scope for such Banks and provided that they are managed by experts of absolute integrity they would, while earning very substantial profit for themselves, do the great function of promoting the industrial development of the country.

MANAGING AGENT THANKED.

Gentlemen, I do not wish to take your time unnecessarily, but before I sit down I have in justice to myself and you to perform a very important duty and that is to make our acknowledgments to our Managing Agent, Mr. C. I. Parekh, to whose honesty and devotion combined with keen business instincts, caution and foresight are due the continuance of the steadily improving status and the successful working of our Bank during the unexampled crisis with its stress and strain. I wish also to express our appreciation of the good work of the staff.

Gentlemen, I beg to propose that the Report of the Directors be approved and adopted.

The following resolutions were then duly proposed and adopted:—

That the Report of the Directors and the audited balance sheet and profit and loss account for the year ended 30th June, 1917, be approved and adopted. Rs. 25,000 be carried to the reserve fund and a month's salary be paid as bonus to the staff.

That a final dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum free of Income Tax be declared and made payable on and after 12th October, 1917, to those shareholders whose names stood on the register on 22nd September, 1917.

That the appointment of Mr. Gopaldas Tricumjee Jivandas as a Director of the Corporation be confirmed.

That the retiring Directors Messrs. Padamshinh Narshinhbhai and Gopaldas Tricumjee Jivandas be re-elected as Directors of the Corporation.

A vote of thanks to the Chairman terminated the proceedings.

BOMBAY UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "CHRONICLE."

Sir,—It may be rather late in the day, to draw attention to a rather serious defect in the way the examinations of the Bombay University are conducted, some months after their result have been out; but as a principle of more or less permanent interest is involved in the matter, I do not hesitate to send you the following lines, which I hope you will kindly find space for, in the columns of your much valued paper.

A student of the Baroda College appeared at the last Final Examination for the degree of B.A., with Languages and Literature as his optional subjects. Although his total exceeded the required standard by a good margin, he was not included in the list of successful candidates, as he fell short by just one mark of the prescribed minimum. for passing in the Compulsory English subject. Now, if the student had luckily obtained just one mark more than he actually did, the portals of the University would have been thrown open and he would have been deemed fit and eligible for admission to the degree of B.A. But just because he happened to get one mark too few, he must needs be kept out, and the doors relentlessly closed upon him. When getting one mark more or less, makes all this difference, the examination ceases to be an intelligent and intelligible test and becomes a mere matter of chance. But it may perhaps be urged that, in an examination test, a minimum has to be prescribed, and a limit defined which must be strictly observed. Sir, if a rule is to be laid down in such a matter, I submit it ought not to be a hard and fast rule, so long as examiners are human, and the factor of personal equation cannot be eliminated. The line to be drawn must not be a straight and rigid line, but a wavy and elastic one, so as to include those students, who, though failing to come up to the mark, are yet too near it to be left out.

Sir, I understand that the student, of whom I have spoken is not the only one, who has been ploughed for not obtaining one more mark, but that there are several others who have suffered likewise. This, if anything, reinforces the case of the poor students, and brings into still greater prominence, the mischief resulting from the present system. A system, under which such hardships are perpetrated and perpetuated, surely needs to be revised, and one direction, in which reform is badly needed, is in the way of liberalising the system and making it more elastic and less rigid. To refuse to relax the rigidity of the system by saying that such defects are inseparable from a human test is to beg the question. It is exactly to meet the vagaries of the human factor that reform and readjustment is needed, and surely it ought not to be beyond human skill to evolve and elaborate a system of giving grace marks and condoning failures in individual subjects, so that all unnecessary and preventible hardships may be avoided.

In conclusion, may I appeal to the patriotic and extremely practical-minded gentleman who, at present holds the office of Vice-Chancellor, to bring about the needed reforms, rationalising the conduct of the examinations and placing it on a sound and more liberal footing.—Yours, etc.

N. M. S.

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O. C.'s Companies.—To keep a record book showing the progression of each class.

BAND.

As ordered by Bandmaster.—They will attend Frist Aid Lecture on Tuesday given by Major Gordon Tucker. Compulsory.

INSTRUCTORS.

Colaba North.—Sgt. Beadaman.
Colaba South.—Cpl. Cassidy.
Mahaluxmi.—C. S. M. I. Davey.
Recruits.—Br. Bright.
No. 5 G. S. C.—Sgts. Smith & Stubbs.
D. R. F. Colaba.—Sgt. Jackson.
D. R. F. Mahaluxmi.—Br. Peel.
Reserve Company.—Br. Hall.

NOTICE.

In future in the case of an application for leave out of Bombay a statement of drills performed (unless preliminary training completed, which, if done, should be stated) must be given.

No man in an Active company will in future be allowed leave until preliminary training completed unless under exceptional circumstances.

Rifles will be issued to No. 1 Gen. Serv. Coy. between the hours of 9 and 1 on Friday and Saturday 28th and 29th.

DRESS.

Reference Divisional Order No. 1762, dated 22nd August, 1917. Trousers may be worn by officers:—

(i) When off duty: and
(ii) When on duty in Barracks, Offices and Docks.

At all times trousers must be worn with the ends turned down and with boots, never with shoes. Unauthorised articles of dress such as shoes and khaki stockings may not be worn with shorts.

Sergeants Mess.—A meeting of Warrant Officers, Staff Sergeants, and Sergeants will be held at Headquarters on Thursday October 4th, at 7 p.m.

(Sd.) H. A. STARKY,
For Adjutant, Bombay Artillery, I.D.F.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Sept. 29.

No. 246. Recruits.—Drills are held daily at Headquarters at 7-15 a.m. and 6-30 p.m. except on Saturday afternoons and Sundays. Recruits who have drawn uniform must wear it on morning parades.

No. 247. Battalion Orderly Sergeants.—Officer Commanding No. 3 Company will detail a N. C. Officer for duty at Headquarters on week days (except on Saturdays) from 6-25 to 7-45 p.m. during October.

No. 248. Pay.—No more pay or Actual Military Service performed prior to 31st July 1917 will be issued until further orders.

No. 249. Tram Fares.—No more payments will be made for Recruits' Tram Fares until further orders. All outstanding claims must be submitted to the Adjutant immediately.

No. 250. Command.—2nd-Lieut. J. McGrath took over command of No. 2 Company with effect from the forenoon of the 26th instant, vice Captain H. C. B. Mitchell, proceeding on General Service Training.

No. 252.—Extract from the "Gazette of India," Army Department, dated 14th September, 1917, is published for information:—

"No. 1565. Captain George Washington Talbot (Supernumerary List) resigns his commission, Dated 31st March, 1917."

No. 253.—Extract from Part 2, Orders dated 28th September, 1917:—

No. 127, Corpl. H. Knight to be Temporary Sergeant.

No. 79. Pte. E. V. Rieu to be Temporary Corporal.

No. 254. Arms and Equipment.—Will be issued next week in accordance with orders circulated to Officers Commanding Companies.

No. 255. General Service.—Groups 1, 2 and will parade at Headquarters at 7-30 a.m. Monday, October 1st. They will proceed Poona by train leaving Victoria Terminus 2-10 on evening of October 1st.

256. Musketry.—Will commence Wednesday, October 3rd. Details have been circulated to officers Commanding Companies.

(Sd.) C. N. MOBERLY, Major,
Adjutant, Bombay Vol. Rifles.

BAY CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING ASSOCIATION.

monthly meeting of the Associa- held to-morrow at 6 p.m. at the t Trust Office, when further ill be held on Mr. R. P. Masani's "Development of Salsette."

SENT TO WORKHOUSE.

hief Presidency Magistrate at Police Court Deputy Inspector d James Frederick Hycoop visible means of subsistance born at Baroda of Dutch was found wandering in the d pleaded guilty to the istrate ordered him to be nent Workhouse.

EFITION FOR LADIES.

of the Bombay Presi- Association, an elocu- ladies will be held by 1917. The competition ladies and girls ing next in

as it was ...ship by the respective parties that they were likely to settle the suits.

It appears that upto Sunday evening they were not able to settle their suits and consequently the parties again moved through their Counsel that the order of the 19th July appointing Mr. Sethna receiver be revived. His Lordship therefore ordered that his original order of the 19th of July be revived and Mr. Sethna to continue to act as receiver.

The Hon. Mr. T. J. Strangman with Mr. B. J. Desai and Mr. V. G. Dalvi appeared for Govindlal.

Mr. C. H. Setalvad appeared for Bansilal. Mr. D. N. Bahadurji, Mr. R. D. N. Wadaa, Mr. J. B. Kanga and Mr. J. H. Vakeel appeared for Bansilal's wife, the minor sons of Bansilal and Govindalal and for the Advocate-General respectively.

CAUSE LIST.

BOARD FOR MONDAY, THE 1ST OCTOBER, 1917.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MARTEN.

In the Division Court No. 40.

SUIT FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL. LONG CAUSE

1136-15—Payne and Co. Khatubai v Mahomed Haji Abu and ors Wadia G and Co. Surveyor and Co., Little and Co. Part heard.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE KAJIJI.

In the Division Court No. 43.

CHAMBER MATTERS FOR DISPOSAL.

LIST B (COUNSEL.)

377-17—Edgelow G W & Co. Messrs. Annant & Co. a firm v Messrs. Symington Cox & Co a firm Smetham B & Co. 25-9-17.

513-17—Motichand and D Nursey Mowji v Tribhowandas Jamnadas Parnanand & Co. 27-9-17.

O. S. 997-17—Jehangir G & B Bai Dinbai Widow v Pestonji Rattonji Itchaporia and ors Wadia G and Co. 7-9-17.

FOR CONSENT DECREE IN COURT.

1057-17—Mulji & Tha Gulabbai widow and ors v Nagindas Motilal and ors Mulji and Tha.

1072-17—Mulji & Tha Pranjiwandas Motilal and anr v Gulabbai widow and ors Mulji & Tha.

S C Ct 447/15248-17—Patell and Ez. Mahomed Hussein Esufally and anr v Abdul Rehman Haji Jacob Mistry N C Dalal.

FOR FURTHER DIRECTIONS AND COSTS ON COMMR'S REPORT.

224-16—Mehta D and L Pandia and Co—Bibi Mariam Sultan widow and anr v Aga A G Asgar bin Oza Mahomed Jamad Fozdi Mirza M & M.

SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL LONG CAUSE.

609-6—Hiralal and Co Mangaldas Ramdas v Ichhalal Jugmohundas and ors Payne and Co. Part heard.

FOR HEARING ON EXCEPTIONS TO COMR'S REPORT.

691-15—Payne and Co. Khimji Assur Virji v K Venkatrao Sethupatty and ors Daphtary F and D, Kharas and Co.

SHORT CAUSES.

960-17—Mulji and Tha Ladhabhai Sunderlal v Vithal Mavji and anr.

564-17—Patell and Ez. Messrs. Uderam Premsukhdas a firm v Hiralal Jainarain.

513-17—Parmanand & Co. Narsi Mowji v Tribhowandas Jamnadas a firm Motichand & D.

762-17—M B Chothia Nanalal Motichand a a firm v Mulchand Ranchordas a firm and anr Moti and D Jeh G and B.

LONG CAUSES.

898-16—Captain & V. The Official Assignee of Bombay v Deoji Kuverji a firm Madh K and C.

1249-14—Madhowji K and C Bai Gangabai widow v Ludha Dossa and ors Edg. G W and Co., Dastur and Co., Little and Co. Sh M and N.

1223-15—Payne and Co. Mamatullabai v Ahmedbhoy Shaik Kaderbhoy and ors Surveyor and Co., Wadia G and Co., Payne and Co., Captain and V.

701-17—D J Mantri Rai Bahadur Vinayakrao Sadanand Joshi v Shankar Ballaji Navalkar and ors In person.

725-17—Malvi M R & Co. Kasturchand Sadasukh v Balkisson Hardayal and anr Khandwalla & Co.

356-17—Motichand & D Dada Haji Essak v Munchershaw Nusserwanji Chandabhai Nanu H and Co.

S C Ct. 678/24886-16—Merwanji K & Co Phiroze C Mistry v The Mitsui Bussan Kaisha Ltd Crawford B & Co.

C Ct. 679/24899-17—Merwanji K & Co. Phiroze C Mistry v The Mitsui Bussan Kaisha Ltd Crawford B & Co.

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KUMBHARWADA ...

CORONER'S INQUEST.

The Coroner, Dr. W. Nunan, held an inquest touhing the death of (1) Raoji Odhavji and his brotner (2) Arjun Odhavji (3) Harkorbai a woman aged 30, (4) Gandabhai Hargovan aged five (5) and Lalkibai aged 5, who met their death through being buried in the debris of a three-storied house at Kumbharwada, which collapsed owing to excessive rainfall on the 29th August.

Hargovan Narottam, who resided in the same house, stated that he was living there for the last 17 or 18 years, and the house had never been repaired in his time. The balcony was leaking and the ceiling let the water through and this happened in the rains every year.

Mr. Burjorji Mancherji Nariman, Building Superintendent, Bombay Municipality C Ward, deposed that he knew the locality of the house and that it was repaired in 1901. After the collapse he had examined it and was of opinion that it was due to the heavy rains. One of the beams was decayed at the end which was generally hidden in masonry. There was nothing to show that the building was unsafe and no complaint had been lodged by the tenants.

In reply to a juror the witness stated that houses were examined by the Municipality only when a complaint was made to them.

The jury returned a verdict that deaths were caused by injuries received in the collapse of a house at Kumbharwada and that the collapse was caused by the unusually heavy rains.

BOMBAY AMUSEMENTS.

EXCELSIOR.

Commencing next Saturday the Excelsior have booked the well-known sensational film "The Iron Claw" for their 6-30 performances in which the famous Pathe Stars Pearl White, Creighton Hale, and Sheldon Lewis, will appear, popular in the "Exploits of Elaine." The first chapter to be given will be "The Vengeance of Legar." The Iron Claw is a story that will hold interest from the first episode to the last of the sensational adventures. A great character is "The laughing Mask," a mysterious villain played by Sheldon Lewis. Mystery—Adventure—Buried Treasure—Changed Lives—a flood, are flashed before one in the serial episodes in which the master cunning of criminals are matched equally with clever detectives. The story is by Arthur Stringer, a well-known writer of sensational series for high class New York Magazines and produced by the Pathe Studios.

INDIAN WAR LOAN.

BOMBAY POST OFFICE SECTION.

		29-9-17		Up-to-date.
War Loan	Rs.	1,600	Rs.	3,83,950
War Bonds	„	23,600	„	14 16,375
Cash Certificates	„	21,570-12	„	21,50,195-12
Total	Rs.	46,770-12	Rs.	39,50,520 12

APPLICATION FOR WAR LOAN THROUGH POST OFFICES.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 29.

Applications to the War Loan received through Post Office are as under. The figures for the Post Office Section are for the period ended 26th September and those for Cash Certificates for period ended 15th September:—

Provinces.	Post Office Section.	Cash Certificates	Total.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bombay	86 18 800	2,01,33 283	2,87 52,033
Punjab	69,93,400	1,46,83,987	2,16 77,387
Central	51,49 125	1,38 42,484	1,89,91 609
United Provinces.	57,16 325	1,00 89,299	1,58,05 624
Bengal	42 50,800	64,64 228	1,07 15 028
Burma	19 18 175	59 48,180	78,66,355
Madras	22,50,175	26 81 973	49 32,148
Bihar and Orissa .	13 41,375	28,01,354	41 42,729
Assam	3,43,425	9,39,478	12 82,903

Total loan figures so far as known stand as follows:—Main section Rs. 38,36,36,100, Treasury bills received in England Rs. 1,64,11,600, Post Office Section Rs. 3,65,81,600, Cash Certificates Rs. 7,75,84,266. Total Rs. 51,42,13,566.

PARSIK TUNNEL ACCIDENT.

LINE CLEARED AND TRAFFIC RESTORED.

(Associated Press.)

Sept. 30.

The following is issued by the Traffic Manager G. I. P. Railway:—In continuation of my telegram of yesterday regarding the accident at Parsik tunnel the down line was cleared and traffic worked over this ...midnight of the 29th instant. It ...hat the up line will be cleared ...ll double line communication ...ains are now running as usual ...ght delay over the single line ...

chair, Mr. ... sympathy from ... Currimbhoy, Shrimant ... Biwalkar, Rao Bahadur G. ... Retired Educational Inspector, Mr. K. ... Bala, Principal, Ahmedabad Training College, Mr. H. L. Kewli, Mr. D. R. Patwardhan, Mr. G. H. Vaishampayan, Mr. K. N. Mahale, Mr. S. V. Joshi and others.

Mr. Kale gave an interesting account of how the school grew to its present dimensions with very small beginnings and an idea of the amount of privations the promoters have suffered in making the school a success. The school is a full High School with 400 students. He emphasized the point that the promoters had spent nearly Rs. 6,000 in equipping the school with furniture, library and laboratory and that they were handing over the school without any liabilities to the I. E. Society.

He then moved the first resolution to start the "Indian Education Society," to declare its institution and to place the "King George English School" under its management. It was seconded by Dr. Dadarkar, supported by Mr. Bole and carried unanimously. While supporting the resolution Mr. Bole dwelt at length on the self-sacrifice, patience and perseverence of the promoters and expressed his wish that the Indian Education Society would be a great centre of educational activities in Bombay.

Dr. Javle then moved the second resolution to adopt the rules and regulation of the Society as drafted, and on being duly seconded by Mr. Chonkar, it was passed. The third resolution to appoint the office-bearers of the Society, was proposed by Mr. Vachha, seconded by Prof. Hate and carried. The following are the office-bearers:—

Shrimant Baba Saheb Ghorpade, Chief of Ichalkaranji, Vice-President. Sir Narayan G. Chandavarkar, Chairman, the Hon. Sir Fazulbhoy Currimbhoy, Vice-Chairman. Sir Bhalchandra Krishna Kt., and the Hon. Mr. Lallubhai Samaldas, C.I.E., Trustees, Messrs. N. M. Kale, and M. P. Khopkar, Secretaries.

OBJECT OF THE SOCIETY.

The object of the Indian Education Society is "to facilitate and diffuse education by starting, affiliating or incorporating at different places, as circumstances will permit, schools and colleges for giving instruction in the various recognized departments of knowledge by ways best suited to the want of the people." The immediate aim of the society is to add Gujerathi side to the school, to start a High School for girls at Dadar, and funds permitting, to start an Arts College in the suburbs of Bombay.

In conclusion, the Chairman said, "I am glad to see the Indian Education Society started. Mr. N. M. Kale and Mr. M. P. Khopkar and their colleagues are very energetic and zealous in their work. They have taken to the work as a labour of love and deserve to be commended. We must always encourage the efforts of young and self-sacrificing men in education on which rests the future of India. I myself have seen the institution and was much impressed with the intelligence and physical appearance of the boys. It is a good sign that young men are coming forward to take up educational work without caring for pecuniary reward and hence it is our duty to encourage and support them."

In the end the Chairman congratulated Messrs. Kale and Khopkar on the satisfactory results they have achieved and on the arduous work they have taken up with commendable zeal.

Mr. M. P. Khopkar thanked the chairman and the gentlemen assembled for the great sympathy shown by them towards the Indian Education Society, and the proceedings terminated.

The life-members have made an ardent appeal to all lovers of education and to the general and philanthropic public of Bombay to readily extend their sympathies and lend their support to the work the society has undertaken.

COL DESARAJ URS.

RECEIVES HONORARY TITLE O... LT.-COL. IN BRITISH ARM...

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BANGALORE. Sept. ...

A cablegram has been received ann... ing that his Majesty has been pleased to confer the honorary title of Lieut.-Col. in the British Army on Lieut.-Col. J. Desaraj Urs, M.V.O., C.I.E., Chief Commandant of Mysore State Troops. Lieut.-Col. Desaraj ... related to his Highness the Maharaja. Lieut.-Col. took part in the Burma W... the 2nd Madras Lancers 30 yea... during the present war saw ac... in Egypt with the Mysore Imperia... Lancers.

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petition
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E. S. MONTAGU urging
the necessity of the immediate
ment of the Reforms Scheme adopted by
the Congress and the Moslem League. This
petition has been drafted by Mr. M. K.
GANDHI and reads as follows:—

"To the Right Hon.

E. S. MONTAGU,

Secretary of State for India.

The Petition of the British Subjects
of the Bombay Presidency.

Humbly Sheweth,

(1) The petitioners have considered and understood the Swaraj Scheme prepared by the ALL-INDIA CONGRESS COMMITTEE and COUNCIL of the MOSLEM LEAGUE and unanimously adopted last year by the INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS and the ALL-INDIA MOSLEM LEAGUE.

(2) The petitioners approve of the Scheme.

(3) In the humble opinion of the petitioners, the reforms proposed in the aforementioned Scheme are absolutely necessary in the interests of India and the Empire.

(4) It is further the petitioners' belief that without such reforms India will not witness the era of true contentment.

For these reasons the petitioners respectfully pray that you will be pleased to give full consideration to and accept the reform proposals and thus render successful your visit taken at great inconvenience, and fulfil the national hope.

And for this act of kindness the petitioners shall for ever remain grateful."

The Public are hereby informed that those who wish to sign the petition can do so at the Office of the Home Rule League at 251, HORNBY ROAD, between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. every day, or at the office of the Indian Home Rule League, 7-35, near Girgaum Tram Terminus, from 8-30 to 11 a.m. and 2-30 to 7-30 p.m.

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A NEGLECTED PROBLEM.

In his valuable little book on "Rural Economy in the Bombay Deccan," Mr. Keatinge has observed:

"The fact that the cultivator often finds it difficult to pay his assessment, the fact that he readily runs into debt, and seldom extricates himself from it, the helplessness of some and the apathy of others, these matters have attracted general attention and suggested remedies. They are, however, merely symptoms of a general disease and that disease lies in the distribution of the land itself. The fact is that most of the holdings are not economic holdings. When a cultivator has got only five or ten acres of unimproved dry crop land split up into several plots and situated at a distance from the village and from each other, he has not got an economic holding. It will not provide a living for himself and his family."

This is a truth of which the force has not been realised as much as the fact that the peasant is impoverished, that he spends his limited agricultural income in wasteful ceremonial expenditure, and that he has been beld to death by the usurious sowcar. In a very interesting article in the December number of the "Indian Journal of Economics." Dr. Harold Mann laid especial stress on the evil effects of small and scattered holdings, as observed in a typical dry crop village in the Poona District, but shirked the task of discussing the remedies for a state of affairs, which is not confined to the Poona District, but exists almost throughout British India. This task was undertaken, and has been accomplished with considerable success, by the Committee appointed by the Baroda State, under the chairmanship of Mr. Govindbhai H. Desai, to make proposals on the consolidation of small and scattered holdings in the State. The Report of the Committee, which was published some time ago, is a most valuable addition to our too scanty literature on Rural Economy, furnishing as it does a careful survey of the character of agricultural holdings in the Baroda State, and a concise summary of the various measures with which the problem of small uneconomic holdings has been tackled in at least four European countries and in Japan. A thorough examination of the conditions in the four different districts of the State has enabled the Committee to disclose a somewhat startling state of affairs. The village statistics, which constitute not the least valuable part of the Report, leave no room for doubt that in a majority of cases the holdings cannot, even under the most favourable circumstances, maintain their owners. Thus 77 per cent. of the *khatedars* in the State do not possess more than 20 *vighas* or about 12 acres of land. An average holding of 20 *vighas* would, the Committee observe, be an ideal one, if it were a compact piece, but it is made up of several fields and fragments of fields scattered about over a large area. How far this process of sub-division has gone may be gathered from a single instance. In the village of Chovishi in the Navsari District, the total area which comprised only 200 survey numbers in 1864 contained as many as 732 survey numbers in 1895, and these numbers are at present sub-divided into plots of which over three thousand in number are less than a *vigha* in area. The truth of the matter is that almost everywhere the number of scattered fragments possessed by a single *khatedar* exceeds even the number of fragments in a single holding. The disadvantages springing from excessive sub-division and fragmentation are patent to a good agriculturist, but for the benefits of the larger public the Committee have described [illegible] detail. To put the matter in a [illegible] as Dr. Mann has it, "this [illegible] being [illegible] soil and the growth of an [illegible] proverished peasantry, it should immediately step in with prompt action. Before suggesting the remedies, the Committee have taken good care to clinch the argument with a brief statement of expert opinion in the matter, and a short history of the remedial measures taken in Prussia, Austria, Switzerland, Holland and Japan. Prevention of further minute sub-divisions is a necessary preliminary to the far more difficult and complex task of the union of small and scattered holdings, and the Committee have advisedly addressed themselves first to a consideration of the best means of securing that object. The principal remedy suggested is an amendment in section 83 of the rules made under the Land Revenue Code and in section 262 of the Code of Civil Procedure so as to make smaller divisions than those of 8 *vighas* of *jirayet*, 3 *vighas* of *bagaret*, and a *vigha and half* of *kyari* unrecognisable in law for all purposes, including partition. Further, it is proposed that, where the effect of a partition would be to reduce the holding to plots smaller than the fixed minima, the holding should be sold, preferably to the highest bidder from amongst the heirs, and the money value equally divided between them. The minima fixed by the Committee are such as would constitute an economic holding, and not be beyond the power of an agriculturist of moderate means, to cultivate. The union of small and scattered holdings is a more arduous task, and insuperable practical difficulties would be experienced in the application of the remedies suggested by the Committee in this respect. To mention one out of many, we may point out that section (9) of the draft Permissive Act proposed by the Committee, regarding reconstitution on the basis of original ownership in a way whereby each one of the *khatedars* will get a new whole piece of each kind of land, is sure to be found unworkable. The encouragement, however, of voluntary exchange of contiguous fields by exempting the transaction from the usual Stamp and Registration Fees, would, on the other hand, be a step in the right direction, and the concession is sure to be appreciated and availed of by most agriculturists.

There are, however, several issues involved in the prevention of small and scattered holdings by punitive legislation. What is to be done, for example, for the peasant who becomes landless by reason of the operation of the new law? It is all very well to say that he will be freed from his parasitic attachment to the soil, and forced to eke out an honest living, by other occupations. But no one with the country's good at heart could afford to view with complaisance the growth of a landless peasantry, and additional measures, therefore, for giving relief in kind to the agriculturist deprived of his land, must necessarily be devised. Hundreds of acres of waste land are given away by Government every year on long leases, and special concessions, —such as the charging of a nominal price and making the tenure of the land unrestricted,—should be afforded to these agriculturists, to induce them to take up these waste lands. Another difficulty is likely to arise. It is probable that where the heirs are unable to keep the land for themselves, by one of them failing to pay the necessary price and to indemnify the others, it will be the outsider, and in all li[illegible] hood, the sowcar, keenly on the [illegible] out for opportunities of [illegible] disement, who will [illegible] situation. [illegible]

[illegible] by a majority of nine. The sluggishness of public opinion which has so often been the bogey called in to aid in opposing a great deal of necessary social legislation, was pleaded as an excuse in this matter also, and even the appointment of a committee to inquire into the question was considered premature and un-called for. The appointment of such a committee would have served to sound public opinion, which, as anyone who knows anything about the matter realises, is not quite so averse to the adoption of preventive remedies as is supposed. With some intelligent guidance and persuasion it will, in all likelihood, be reconciled to reform. The placing of Mr. Setalvad's Disposition of Property Bill on the Statute Book is a case in point, and strengthens the view that even a change in the existing personal laws of inheritance, called for by the exige[illegible]cies of the present day, will not meet with opposition from the public.

Notes of the Day.

"An Open Mind."

The following extract is taken from a private letter to us from a friend—a British military officer—"somewhere" in India:—

> "The man who shares my bungalow thinks that the granting of the King's Commission to Indians is indefensible on principle and will prove hopelessly unworkable in practice. He makes statements like this all day in a loud 'don't you dare to contradict me' tone of voice. I don't. The only way to introduce an idea into a head like that is by means of a sledge-hammer. You could present him with an open mind by splitting his skull."

The German Chancellor's Speech.

In the course of his speech in the Reichstag, Dr. Michaelis said, among other things, that "the attempt to sow dissension between the people and Government had no prospect of success." He added that such attempt "had the opposite effect and had bound all Germans more firmly in the resolve to oppose foreign interference." This is protesting too much and with too obvious nervousness. How far the Chancellor spoke for the German people may be gathered from the extract which Reuter cabled yesterday from a "remarkable" article in the Radical "Berliner Tageblatt." "The Reichstag," the journal maintains, "must insist on its peace resolution and the German people must have a say in framing the conditions of peace, if peace is to be lasting." Even more remarkable is the declaration that "there can be no [illegible] Europe until there is a new German[illegible] This declaration brings into promin[illegible] relief the fact that the democratic m[illegible]ment in Germany is much stronger o[illegible] the Reichstag than inside it, and f[illegible] that the German Government is [illegible] out of touch with it. Dr. Michael[illegible] representations to the intentions [illegible] Allies are disingenuous to a degre[illegible]

The Two Forces.

Lord Milner's statement on F[illegible] "a new pan-German party had [illegible] strengthen the waning influe[illegible] Junkers and preach the do[illegible] might is right in its most a[illegible] repulsive form," shows how [illegible] Germany are feeling the ne[illegible] ening their position as a[illegible] "Until such doctrines [illegible] said Lord Milner, "the[illegible] peace for Germany, no p[illegible] prosperity, no chance [illegible] place she had lo[illegible] conflic[illegible]

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